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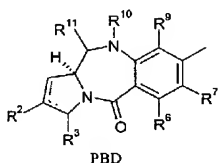
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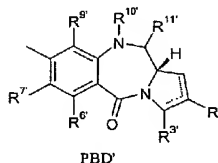
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(54) Title: C8, C8' LINKED 5-OXO-1,2,3,11A-TETRAHYDRO-5H-PYRROLO[2,1-C][1,4]BENZODIAZEPINE DIMERS
WITH 1H-PYRROLE-DICARBOXYLIC ACID AMIDE LINKERS AND OLIGOMERIC ANALOGS THEROF AS WELL AS
RELATED COMPOUNDS FOR THE TREATMENT OF PROLIFERATIVE DISEASES



(I)



(II)

(57) Abstract: Compounds of formula (I): PBD-A-Y-X-(Het)_{na}-L-(Het)_{nb}-L-(Het)_{nc}-T-(Het)_{nd}-L-(Het)_{ne}-L-(Het)_{nf}-X'-Y'-A'-
-PBD' and salts, solvates and chemically protected forms thereof, are disclosed wherein the PBD units have the formulae (PBD)
(PBD') with the bonds at the 8 position on each molecule bond to the A and A' groups respectively; A is selected from O, S, NH
or a single bond, and each Het and Het' is respectively an amino-heteroarylene-carbonyl group; X and X' are both either NH or C
(=O) -Q-C(=O)- wherein Q is a divalent group such that HY = R; in a second aspectm the invention comprises compounds of the
general formula (II): PBD-A-Y-X-(Het)_{ng}-[L-(Het)_{nh}]_{nj}-X'-Y'-A'-PBD'. Wherein: PBD and PBD' are as defined above, X and X'
are either NH and C(=O) respectively or C(O) and NH respectively; the other substituents are defined in the claims. Further aspects
of the present invention relate to their use in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a proliferative disease.